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FM AMEMBASSY CAIRO

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INFO AMEMBASSY AMMAN

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AMEMBASSY TUNIS

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SUBJECT: TRIANGULAR INVESTMENT MISSION TO ARAB NATIONS
(TIMAN), FEBRUARY 12-28

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1. CONCUR BIRD'S VISIT FEBRUARY 1-2. GIVEN ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE TIMES, IT WILL BE DIFFICULT TO SCHEDULE MORE THAN ONE OR TWO MEETINGS WITH EGYPTIAN OFFICIALS. RECOMMEND THAT BIRD SPEND SEVERAL ADDITIONAL WORKING DAYS IN CAIRO DURING THIS VISIT. EMBASSY EXPERIENCE WITH VISITING MISSIONS HAS STRONGLY INDICATED THAT THREE-FOUR WORKING DAYS TWO WEEKS IN ADVANCE REQUIRED TO ARRANGE SATISFACTORY SCHEDULE, DESPITE ASSURANCE GOE OFFICIALS WILL ARRANGE ALL DETAILS.

2. EMBASSY HAS SECURED AN APPOINTMENT FOR BIRD WITH MIN OF STATE ECON COOP DR. TAHIR AMIN AT 0800 HOURS, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2. APPOINTMENT FEBRUARY 1 NOT POSSIBLE. BIRD SHOULD BE PREPARED PRESENT DR. AMIN WITH FULL SCHEDULE DESIRED BY OPIC INVESTMENT MISSION. EMBASSY EXPERIENCE INDICATES EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TO ATTAIN A SERIES

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OF CONFERENCES ADDRESSED BY MINISTERS AS ENVISAGED IN

PARA ONE REFTEL. EMBASSY, ALSO, IS NOT AWARE OF SCHEDULE OF SOCIAL FUNCTIONS. HAS OPIC OFFERED TO HOST RECEPTION OR DINNER? HAS DR. AMIN SUGGESTED OR EXTENDED INVITATIONS FOR SOCAIL FUNCTIONS?

3. MIDDLETON, WHO PLANS TO ARRIVE IN CAIRO FEBRUARY 10, WILL NOT HAVE ADEQUATE TIME TO PREPARE SCHEDULES AND DOUBLE CHECK ALL ARRANGMENTS MADE BY GOE. EMBASSY RESOURCES DURING THIS SAME TIME PERIOD WILL BE GREATLY STRAINED BY CODEL AND OTHER VISITS OF HIGH PRIORITY. IN THESE CIRCUMSTANCES, EMBASSY MUST EMPHASIZE THE EXTENT SUCCESS TIMAN MISSION WILL DEPEND UPON ARRANGEMENTS MADE DURING BIRD VISIT, AND THOSE MADE BY MIDDLETON.

4. EMBASSY CONTROL OFFICER WILL BE COMMERCIAL OFFICER ROGER MERRICK.

5. THIS CABLE DRAFTED PRIOR TO SEPTTEL (REFTEL B) ON HOTEL RESERVATIONS.
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